# ORGANIZED LABOR **ENLISTS TO HELP IN EXPANSION OF PORT**

Central Union Joins "Greater City" Movement, Calling for Trade-getting Fund and Indorsing Municipal Loan.

Union labor yesterday enlisted in the campaign for a "Greater Philadelphia" the and following their enrollment in the movement for an enlarged city, volunteered to fight shoulder to shoulder with their employers for the cause. The Central Labor Union, at its regular meeting, demanded that Councils make possible the improvements which have been planned for the city by passing the loan bill, and also urged upon the Chamber of Commerce that it participate and labor organizations in the establishment of a \$1.00,000 fund to be used in exploiting Philadelphia and its products throughout the United States and the world.

Description

Resolutions, urging the Chamber of Commerce to comperate with the Labor Forward Movement Committee and the Central Labor Union to raise the 3LON- fund were unanimously adopted. Copperation of the German Chamber of Commerce in this city has been called for Tuesday, at which a resolution will be put forward to the effect that relations between Germany and the world of com-

The union also adopted a resolution lish threats to protract the war.

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tre mu pres ursing Councils to pass, with all haste, the proposed \$11,700,000 loan. This, the labor organization contends, will aid in maintaining the business prosperity of

the city.

It was pointed out that the city, to maintain or increase its activity in the trade world, must spend large sums of money in order to introduce goods manufactured here to merchants in

goods manufactured here to marchants in other countries. The money, if raised, will be distributed equally between the two organizations for the purpose of sending colvoys to foreign countries. If the funds are obtained a vigorous campaism will be launched to advertise this city in all sections of the world.

A notice from the national headquarters of the American Federation of Labor was read during the meeting, urging the various bodies affiliated with the central body to choose delegates to represent them at the national convention of labor organizations to be held in Horticultural Hall for two weeks, beginning November 8.

movement to unionize Philadelphia by the Labor Forward Committee had proved very successful. This is the only city in the country that did not have a falling off in membership during the past year. It is expected that 50,000 men will affiliate themselves with labor organiza-tions in Philadelphia before the conven-lity of the national convention. Massmeetings of teamsters, barbers and bar-

dinary session of the German Chamber of Commerce in this city has been called for tween Germany and the world of com-merce shall endure until Germany is w

### TWO-CENT POSTAGE TO AID SOUTH AMERICA TRADE

Congress Leaders Advocate Reduction of Present Rate on Mails.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 - As a further stimulus to the commerce between the United States and South America, it is United States and South America, it is proposed by Congress leaders who specialize in postal matters that steps be taken to obtain a 2-cent postage rate to those countries that will consent to an arrangement of this character. It requires at present a 5-cent stamp to carry a letter to South America, and the argument is being presented that it would be a long stride toward a closer commercial relationship if that part of the world could be placed on the same basis with respect to mail charges as is now enjoyed by England, Germany, Canada, Mexico by England, Germany, Canada, Mexico and Panama. Representative James T. Lloyd, of Mis-

souri, for many years a member of the House Postoffice Committee and a close student of postal affairs, today said that there was a general sentiment among members of the House and Senate in fa-

vor of this proposed reduced postage.

The change would involve a series of postal treaties to be negotiated between the United States and each of the countries which are willing to enter into the new arrangement. These treatles would be made in behalf of the United States by the Postmaster General and would be similar to those now existing between this country and those with which the two-cent rate now applies.

Union. To countries outside the the first class postage rate is 20

on the question of lower rate, is contem-

46,000,000 POUNDS OF SUGAR ARRIVE HERE IN ONE WEEK

Shipment Yesterday Comes From Hawaiian Ports by Way of Panama Canal and Goes to Spreckels Refinery.

With the arrival yesterday of a 5000-ton cargo of sugar, the total imports of that article at this port since Sunday, September 6, reached the tremendous amount of 23,000 tans, or 46,000,000 pounds. The shipment yeslerday, that aggregated 18,- paratively little smuggling of drugs and

Panama Canal. It was brought here for a special committee of the Senate Comthe Spreckels refinery, at Dickinson street | missions which has been investigating the

Another cargo of Hawalian sugar, ag- and Great Meadow prisons, gregating 15,300,000 pounds, was received by the same firm last Wednesday upon the arrival of the steamship Alaskan, of Union the first class postage rate is 20 the same line, while a 10,000,000-nound shipment of Cuban sugar was received shipment of Cuban sugar was received shipment of Cuban sugar was received sunday, September 8, by the McCahan drugs into a prison should not be stopped, some of the leaders.

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sels reached this port yesterday, includ-ing a few in ballast for orders. Among those bringing cargoes was the Norweg-ian steamship Finn, Captain Amundeen,

which came from Huelva. Spain, with more than 8000 tons of copper ore. The \*essel, consigned to O. G. Hompsted & Co., while in midocean was spoken to by an unidentified British warship. The latter approached the Finn to within a mile and, after ascertaining by flag sig-nals the nationality, cargo and destina-tion of the Norwegian versel, disappeared

again.

Over vessels to bring freight from overseas were the Danish steamship Arkan-sas, of the Scandinavian-American Line, from Copenhagen with paper pulp, hides and general merchandiso, and the British steamship Manchester Exchange, from Manchester, by way of St. John, N. B., with a general cargo. The latter vessel, however, will not dock until some time this morning.

### LITTLE SMUGGLING OF DRUGS

Committee Investigating in New

York Prisons Reports Decrease. ALBANY, Sept. 13 .- That there is com-000,000 pounds, came from Hawalian ports other contraband art class being carried on the American-Hawaiian Steamship on in the various state prisons at the Company's vessel Texan, by way of the present time is the conclusion reached by drug traffic in Sing Sing, Clinton, Auburn

> The committee attributes the falling off publicity and to special care exercised by

WAR AND CANAL OPEN AUSTRALIA'S TRADE GETES

Foreign Commerce Expert Sees Opportunity for the United States. The coincidence of the war and the The coincidence of the war and the opening of the Panama Canal gives the United States a chance to double its trade with Australia and New Zealand according to Dr. Albert A. Snowden, foreign trade commissioner for the National Association of Manufacturers. The nations of Germany, France, Austria, Beigium, Italy, Holland and Switzerland, which in 1912 supplied Australia with

military operations from producing com-modities for export. modifies for export.

Doctor Snowden says that the United States can fill practically all of Australia's standing order at an acceptable price. United States exports to Australia and New Zezland in 1912 amounted to \$64.052,000. He does not think that in the expansion movement Great Britain need be feared. The mother country has also acceptable for the standing of the colony's books. expansion movement Great Britain need be feared. The mother country has al-ways stood first on the colony's books, but British factories in wartime, he be-lieves, will have all they can do to keep

with goods worth \$5,489,980, are practis cally prevented by mobilizations or actual

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At the close of business September 11, 1914.

RESOURCES

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Cash on Hand and in Bank	. 17,913,172,60 4,884,555,58
Accounts"	5,454,979,25 1,814,486.98
Total	834,514,558.59
LIABILITIES	
Capital	. 4,000,000.00 927,120,20
Total	834,514,558,59
TRUST DEPARTMENT  Individual Trusts, held as Executor, Administrator, Trustee Guardian, Committee, Attorney, etc.:  Investments (par value)	\$198,594,226,82
Total	8202.620,709.26
Corporate Trusts, Total Amount of Bonds of Corporation secured by Mortgages or other Collateral	8237.993,384.11
Total Amount of Securities held as Collateral under Corporate Deeds of Trust	

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